

**UNDERGRADUATE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE  
MINUTES  
FOR THE MEETING OF FEBRUARY 2, 2018  
BUILDING 1A, Room 308**

**Undergraduate Committee:** G. Milligan, V. Incera, C. Scarinci, A. Voicu, C. Acharya, D. Zhang, M. Epshtein, S. Kudsieh, J. Wing, B. Han, M. Weil, A. Lambert, R. Flanagan, J. Wagner, L. Manne, S. Loverde, S. Zelikovitz, C. Min Kim, C. McEvilly, S. Wollman, N. Maloney, E. Mbah

**Staff:** V. DiMeglio, A. Martini

**Guests:** S. Holak

**Excused:** C. Scarinci, D. Zhang, N. Tournaki, F. Salgado-Robles, M. Humphreys, M. Tye, K. Gold, R. Peetz, M. Anderson, K. Gerson

**Absent:** J. Aviles, F. Salgado-Robles

**Date:** February 2, 2018

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1. The agenda for the Undergraduate Curriculum Committee Meeting of February 2, 2018 was unanimously approved.
2. The approval of the minutes from the Undergraduate Curriculum Committee Meeting of December 1<sup>st</sup> was unanimously approved.
3. Proposals from the Department of Philosophy and the Department of Political Science and Global Affairs for: **“Old Business”**
  - a. Change in existing course: POL 201/PHL 200 Early Political Theory was unanimously approved.
  - b. Change in existing course: POL 202/PHL 202 Modern Political Theory was unanimously approved.
  - c. Change in existing course: POL 303/PHL 303 Recent Political Theory was unanimously approved.
4. Proposals from the Performing and Creative Arts Department for:
  - a. Change in existing course: ART 312 Visiting Artists Projects was unanimously approved.
  - b. Change in existing course: DRA 100 Introduction to Theatre was unanimously approved.
5. Proposals from the Department of Media Culture for:
  - a. Change in existing course: COM/CIN 325 East Asian Popular Culture was unanimously approved.
  - b. Change in existing course: COM/CIN 326 Japanese Cinema Theory & History was unanimously approved.

Prior to the approval of the above proposals, there was much discussion about what constitutes the level of a course and what the appropriate requisites for courses are at the 200, 300, and 400 level.

6. Proposal from the Department of Philosophy for:
  - a. Change in existing course: PHL 245 Introduction to Eastern Traditions was unanimously approved.

- b. Change in existing course: PHL 344 Eastern Philosophy was unanimously approved.
- 7. Proposal from the East Asian Studies Program for:
  - a. Change in existing minor: East Asian Studies was unanimously approved.
- 8. G. Milligan and V. DiMeglio discussed the January Chancellor's report and the degree changes that were pulled by CUNY. The degree changes will need to be reviewed and resubmitted addressing any hidden prerequisites and include the general education requirements to ensure that the student may complete the degree in the required 120.
- 9. New Business: R. Flanagan distributed to the Committee as an FYI a copy of the Resolution to Improve the Deliberative Capacity of the Faculty Senate. R. Flanagan asked the Committee to review the document and discuss with their respective Departments.